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PETITION FOR USE OF PHOTOGRAPHS AS DRAWINGS

Dear Sir:

The Examiner permitted the use of the enclosed photos in the parent case, subject to a petition being filed under § 1.84(B)(1) to request the inclusion of the photographs in the utility patent. Applicant therefore petitions in this divisional application that the enclosed photos similarly be accepted as formal drawings in the above-identified divisional application (one copy not three - is enclosed pursuant to the OG notice at 1211 OG 1134).

Please charge the petition fee under § 1.17(i), believed to be \$130.00, to Deposit Account 17-0055. If any other fees are necessary, please charge Deposit Account 17-0055.

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Respectfully submitted,

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